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Responsive to the action mailed July 29, 2003, applicant elects the invention of Group 1 -- claims 1-6). The election is made without traverse.

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